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ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

PROCESS FOR DISTRIBUTED PRODUCTION AND PEER-TO-PEER CONSOLIDATION OF SUBJECTIVE RATINGS ACROSS AD-HOC NETWORKS

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A rating program on a mobile computing device communicates with other mobile devices regarding collected ratings. A user enters ratings and requests for information; the mobile computing device will then operate in the background, actively scanning for other users with the same type of short-range communications and a ratings program. The devices are able to exchange and save ratings, providing a mobile, socially-relevant means of collecting information.